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1. A Soviet naval base is planned on Lake Liman, south of Mangalia. The project includes digging a canal between the lake and the Black Sea. Work has not yet begun.
2. Colonel Naum, a Rumanian, is in charge of repairing former coastal defenses and erecting new ones from Mangalia to Mamaia. Six billion lei have been allocated for this work, which also includes a plan to enlarge the Mangalia airport. which is not in use at the present time.

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